

REMARKS

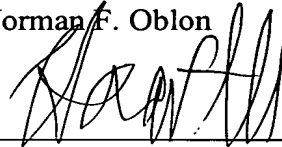
The rejection of Claims 6-10, 13, 14, 16-19, 22, 23, 25-28, 31, 32, 34 and 35 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as anticipated by U.S. 4,324,575 (Levy), is respectfully traversed. All the claims now contain limitations of claims not subject to this rejection. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this rejection be withdrawn.

All of the presently-pending claims in this application are now believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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